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## IDAHO TRIP MEMORANDUM

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**TO:** RYAN JACKSON  
**FROM:** OPE  
**SUBJECT:** IDAHO  
**DATE:** JUNE 5, 2018

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**Attire:** Business

**Participants:**  
Administrator Pruitt

### **Agenda**

*Tuesday, June 5*

#### **EVENT 1**

##### **National Interagency Fire Center Tour**

**Location:** 3833 Development Ave, Boise, ID 83705

**Background:** The National Interagency Fire Center (NIFC) in Boise, Idaho, is the physical facility that is home to the National Interagency Coordination Center (NICC), and the National Multi-Agency Coordination group (NMAC or MAC).

The center works closely with and is an arm of the National Fire and Aviation Executive Board (NFAEB), which provides unified guidance for fire agencies in the United States, and handbooks and guidelines to provide common procedures. It was created to implement the Federal Wildland Fire Management Policy. The NFAEB has created the Federal Fire Policy Directives Task Group, which coordinates with state agencies in order to implement cooperative agreements.

#### **EVENT 2**

##### **NPDES Signing Ceremony with Governor Otter**

**Location:** 700 W. Jefferson Street, Boise, Idaho (Governor's Office)



**Background:**

The people of Idaho re-elected C.L. "Butch" Otter as their Governor for a third term on November 4, 2014. He was first elected Governor of Idaho on November 7, 2006 and re-elected on November 2, 2010. He previously served three terms in Congress representing Idaho's 1st District from 2001 through 2006. Governor Otter is not seeking reelection for a fourth term in the 2018 election.

Governor Otter was born in Caldwell on May 3, 1942. He graduated from St. Teresa's Academy (now Bishop Kelly High School) in Boise, attended Boise Junior College (now Boise State University), and received a bachelor of arts degree in political science from the College of Idaho in 1967.

**Attendees:**

Scott Bedke, Speaker of the Idaho House of Representatives  
Brent Hill, President Pro Tempore, Idaho Senate  
Mayor David Bieter, City of Boise  
Mayor Debbie Kling, City of Nampa  
Jessica Harrison, Executive Director, Idaho Association of Cities  
John Tippetts, Director, Idaho Department of Environmental Quality  
Barry Burnell, Water Administrator, Idaho Department of Environmental Quality  
Mary Ann Nelson, IPDES Program Manager, Idaho Department of Environmental Quality  
Alex LaBeau, President, Idaho Association of Commerce and Industry  
Celia Gould, Director, Idaho State Department of Agriculture  
Nathan Small, Chairman, Fort Hall Business Council, Shoshone-Bannock Tribes  
Ted Howard, Chairman, Shoshone-Paiute Tribes of the Duck Valley  
Shannon Wheeler, Chairman, Nez Perce Tribal Executive Committee  
Chief Allan, Chairman, Coeur d'Alene Tribal Council  
Gary Aitken Jr., Chairman, Kootenai Tribal Council  
Rick Johnson, Executive Director, Idaho Conservation League  
Rick Waitley, Executive Director, Food Producers of Idaho

Mick Thomas, Oil and Gas Division Administrator, Idaho Department of  
Lands  
Benjamin Davenport, Executive VP, Idaho Mining Association  
Alan Prouty, Vice President, Environmental & Regulatory Affairs, JR  
Simplot Company  
Teri Murrison, Administrator, Idaho Soil and Water Conservation  
Commission  
Chuck Graves, President, Idaho Associated General Contractors  
Laurel P. Sayer, Midas Gold Idaho President and CEO  
L. Michael Bogert, Parsons Behle and Latimer

### **EVENT 3**

Roundtable Discussion with Governor Otter and Stakeholders

Location: 700 W. Jefferson Street, Boise, Idaho

Attendees: See above list from signing ceremony attendees.

Run of show: Governor Otter gives brief remarks then welcomes/introduces the  
Administrator  
Administrator gives brief remarks  
Opens for questions and discussion